

### REMARKS

Reconsideration and allowance of the subject application are respectfully solicited.

Claims 11 through 36 are pending, with Claims 11, 15, 19, 23, 37, and 31 being independent. Applicant has filed this paper to provide a clean copy of the claims as requested by the Examiner on October 18, 2007.

Applicant submits that this application is in condition for allowance, and a Notice of Allowance is respectfully requested.

Applicant's undersigned attorney may be reached in our Washington, D.C. office by telephone at (202) 530-1010. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.

Respectfully submitted,

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